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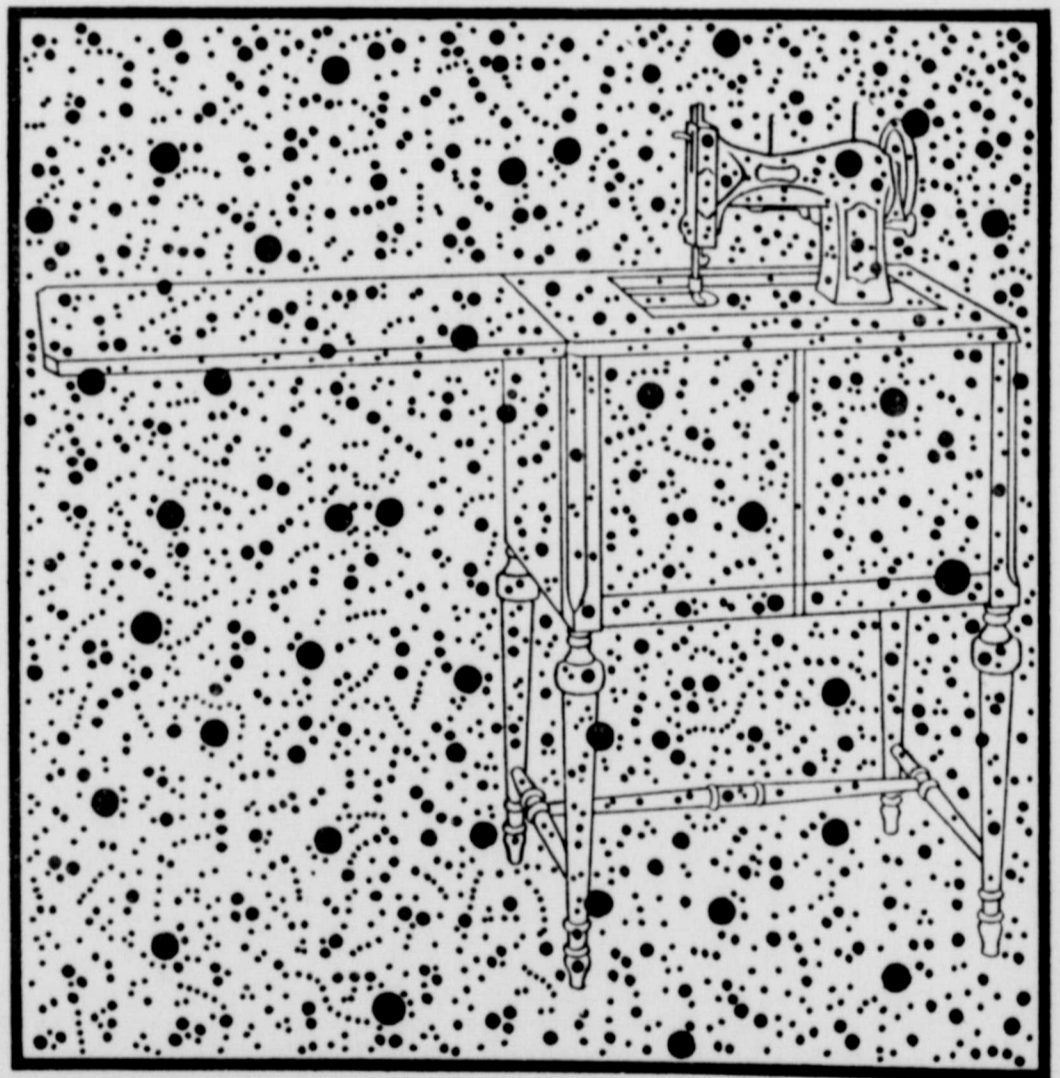
Here's a prize contest that's really fun for everyone. All you have to do is "Count-the-Dots" in the picture below, then enter the number of dots you think this picture contains in the handy entry blank below. Fill out the rest of the entry blank with your name, address, and mail to the address given on the entry blank. But you must act fast! Time counts. The winner will be decided by the accuracy of his or her count and also by earliness of entry. You must start now. Count-the-Dots today. Send in your entry blank right away and you may be one of the lucky winners!

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- ① Just count the dots in the dotted illustration in lower right hand corner and mail your entry to our store. Winners shall be decided by the accuracy of count, earliness of postmark. In the event of a tie, the judges will also consider neatness. Only one grand prize will be awarded. Decision of the judges shall be final. All entries become the property of the sponsor.
- ② Entry blank, or reasonable facsimile, must be filled out accurately and fully to qualify. Only one entry will be allowed per person. Everyone is eligible for prizes except our employees, employees of this newspaper, and their families.
- ③ This contest closes midnight of Sept. 23 1952. No consideration will be given entries postmarked after this date.

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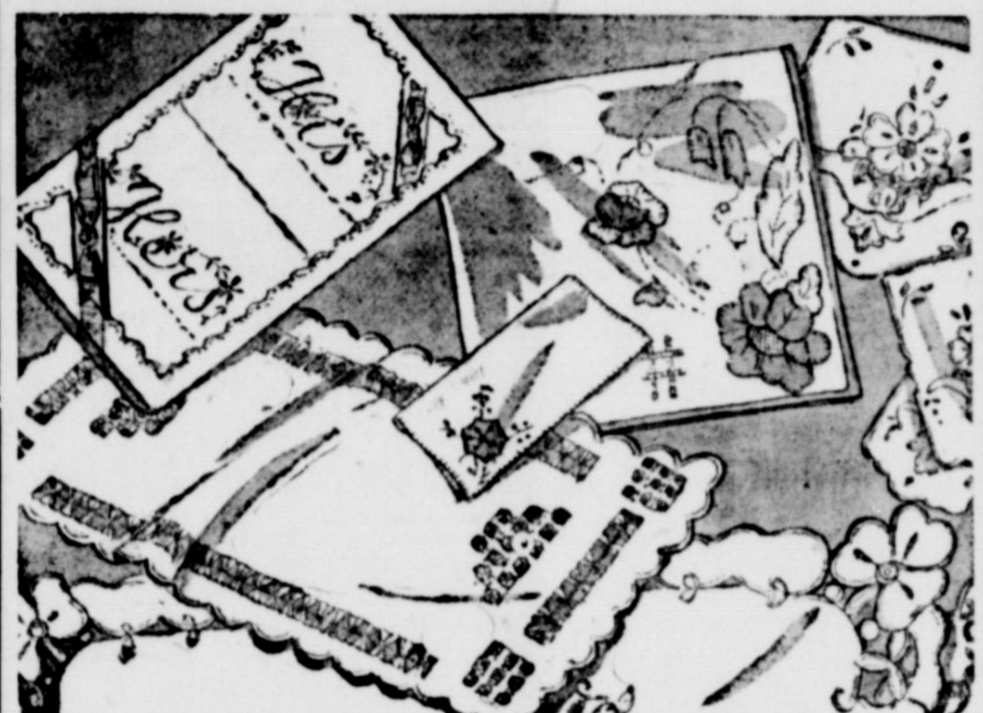
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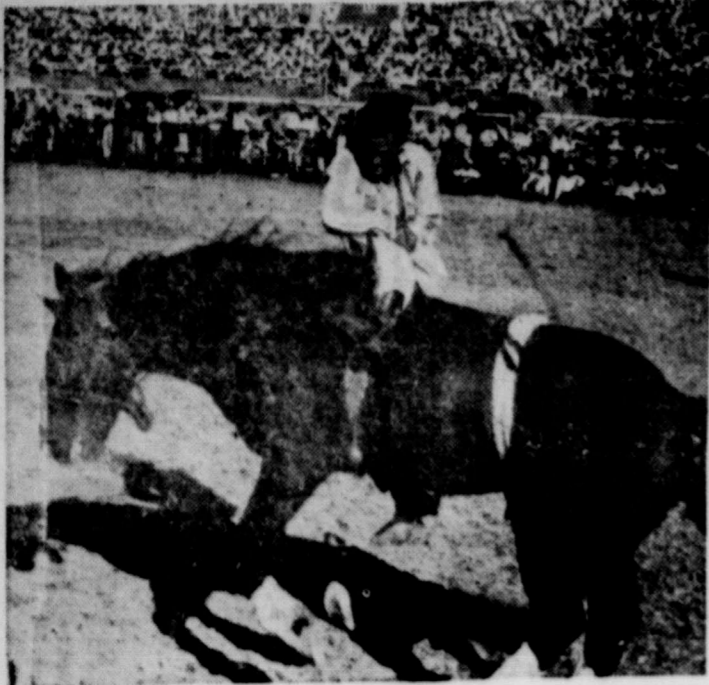
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Mickey Hart, Spike Dykes, Weldon Brevard, Wayne Cole, Buster Berryhill, Norma Jackson, Jimmy Williams.

M. Y. F. Juniors Complimented at Supper

The Intermediate group of Methodist Youth Fellowship honored the group being promoted from the Junior department at a dupe-dog supper held in the garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Richards last Sunday at 6 p.m.

The sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Irby, assisted in making arrangements for the affair and entertaining the group.

Betty Berryhill, Grider and James Hays, John Duke, Wayne Irby, David Jones, Ricky Marsh, and Clarence Gray.

Methodist Philathea Class Has Officer Installation

Mrs. Tom Agnew, Mrs. John Barton and Miss Ollie Chenoweth were hostesses at the regular meeting of the Philathea Class of the First Methodist Church Monday evening.

The Agnew home in Wilke Terrace was decorated with arrangements of early fall garden flowers where Mrs. Blair Hays conducted the business routine and heard annual reports from officers. Mrs. Felix Itz brought the devotional. Birthday celebrants were Mrs. Itz, Mrs. Tom Caudle, Mrs. A. M. Smith and Mrs. Claude

Stone. Mrs. J. W. Guynes recited the prayer and also was in charge of the candlelight service when the following officers were installed: president, Mrs. Paul Richardson; first vice-president, Mrs. T. J. Forrey; second vice-president, Mrs. W. M. Hays; secretary, Mrs. Claude Stone; assistant secretary, Mrs. Emmett Williamson; treasurer, Mrs. Barton; teacher, Mrs. W. O. Wallace; assistant teacher, Mrs. Itz. The meeting was concluded with the Lord's Prayer in union. Others were Mrs. Sid Caskey, Mrs. Troy Simpson, Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman and Mrs. R. D. Midgley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Yoder accompanied their son, Terry, to Las Cruces, New Mexico, where he will be a student at A. & M. College. The Yoders will go to Mexico for a vacation.

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SOCIETY

Elizabeth Barrett Browning Program for Book Club

Mrs. O. C. Sykes and Mrs. Alex Saunders were co-hostesses to the Current Book Club Tuesday afternoon, entertaining in the Sykes home on Eighth Street.

College Students and M. Y. F. Honored

Members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship who are leaving for college for the first time were named honor guests at a party in the church parlors on Tenth Street last Wednesday evening following prayer service.

Full flower arrangements gave added beauty to rooms where Mrs. O. R. O'Neill directed the business. Roll was answered by giving comments on books read by members the past month. Current books were exchanged.

For the program, Mrs. J. W. Barr gave a sketch on the life of the great English poet, Elizabeth Barrett Browning. A number of Mrs. Browning's highest ranking poems were read and discussed.

The occasion was also an in-honor affair for the promotion of the intermediate department membership to the senior department. Mrs. W. O. Irby, Mr. Herman Rountree, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Yoder and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hart were in charge of arrangements. Rev. H. C. Smith assisted with the entertainment.

A dupe-dog supper was enjoyed, followed by ping-pong and other games.

Attending were: Gaie Hays, Eldon Boggs, Mary Harral, Bob Bruce, Mary Joe Forman, Deanie Rountree, Terry Yoder, Barbara Stuart, Grayum Hart, Helen Kennedy, Harlan Forbus, Janie Brevard, Luther Parker.

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Light Globes	Frosted 60 Watt Tax Included	Ea.	15c	Slender-Way Bread	16-Oz. Loaf	22c	Cracked Wheat Bread	16-Oz. Loaf	15c
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Tokay Grapes Bargain Buy! Large, Red Lb. **10c**

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'Montana Territory,' 'I Dream of Jeanie' and 'Macao' Hillcrest Lead Features of the Week

Columbia's "Montana Territory," featuring Lon McCallister, Wanda Hendrix and Preston Foster, at the Hillcrest Drive-In Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday, in Technicolor, is the story of a notorious sheriff-badman who

terrorized the Montana territory just before Montana became a full-fledged state. The new western drama is based on authentic characters and locales. Foster plays the sheriff-badman, while McCallister is the young prospector who bests him. The heart of America was captured by the immortal songs of the old showboat days, and advance indications are that Republic's gay new romantic musical, "I Dream of Jeanie" (with the Light Brown Hair), which comes to Hillcrest Sunday and Monday, September 21, 22, will be equally captivating fare for film audiences. Ray Middleton shares co-starring honors with Bill Shirley, Eileen Christy and Muriel Lawrence in the handsome production.

With a daring scheme to kidnap a criminal from his oriental retreat as its basis, RKO Radio's "Macao," at the Hillcrest Tuesday and Wednesday, September 23, 24, co-stars Robert Mitchum, Jane Russell and William Bendix in an exciting romantic drama. The action is laid in the colony of Macao on the Chinese coast. A stormy love affair between Mitchum and Miss Russell complicates the situation. The picture features Thomas Gomez and Gloria Grahame, with Brad Dexter heading the supporting players.

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John Lund and Jeff Chandler Leads In Actionful 'Battle at Apache Pass'

"The Battle at Apache Pass," to be presented at the Texas Theatre Sunday and Monday, September 21, 22, stars John Lund, Jeff Chandler and Beverly Tyler.

The story background is in the early Civil War days when the reduced Southwestern garrisons were withdrawn eastward from one post to another and the Apaches took to the war-path, led by Geronimo. Some chiefs were friendly and some army officers knew how to get along with them. Lund is the friendly chief, and Jeff Chandler is Geronimo. The fast action is continuous, the battle spectacular and the Technicolor scenery magnificent.

Susan Cabot, Regis Toomey, John Hudson and Neil Taylor provide adequate support.

Popular Tony Curtis handles a swashbuckling role, starring with Piper Laurie, in Universals' Technicolored "Son of Ali Baba," being shown at the Texas today (Thursday) only. Susan Cabot, Hugh O'Brian and Victor Jory are seen in important supporting parts.

Comedy characters abound in Republic's "Gobs and Gals," to be shown at the Texas tomorrow and Saturday. First and foremost are the stars themselves, the internationally famous Bernards, a pair of zanies who make their screen debut in this riotous laugh hit. Others are familiar clowns like



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OLDFEN GIRLS' 4-H CLUB

The Oldfen 4-H girls' club held its first meeting of the year with Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent. Officers were elected and other business was transacted.

Miss Chenoweth talked to the girls on care of the bedroom.

The following officers were elected: Rose Marie Fuchs, president; Helen Halfmann, vice-president; Joan Halfmann, secretary; Mary Frances Halfmann, reporter; Helen and Mary Frances Halfmann, recreational leaders; Lavenia Busenlehner and

Patricia Hoelscher, food demonstrators.

NORTON P.T.A. HOLDS FIRST MEETING OF '52

The Norton Parent-Teacher Association met Tuesday night of last week for its first program of the new school year.

After a short business session, Mrs. Roy Roper outlined the general program for the year and Mrs. N. T. Gault brought the lesson on being a good neighbor.

Refreshments were served in the school lunch room, a social hour following the meeting.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for October 6 and parents and friends are urged to attend.

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About 600 students and fans followed the Ballinger Bearcats to Merkel Friday night for the first football game of the 1952 season. The Bearcats were rated the underdogs for this contest but came through with a 6-2 victory.

The lack of experience was evident in the Ballinger lads during the opening minutes of play when the Badgers took the initial kick-off and marched downfield to the Ballinger 20. Here a stiff defense stopped the attack and is believed to have saved the game.

After a scoreless first half, the Bearcats came to life to start the third quarter. Bell received the kick-off and returned 26 yards. He added two other nice gains on wide sweeps to put the ball on the 10-yard line. Wayne Roberts hit the right side for 9 yards and on the next play carried over for the touchdown. Clark's attempt for the extra point was blocked.

The Merkel score came late in the last quarter when the Bearcats held on their 12-yard line. On the first play the oval was fumbled and Weldon Brevard picked it up and stepped out of bounds in the end zone for an automatic safety.

The Badgers fought hard in the final minutes but were unable to hit pay dirt. The game ended with the ball in the Bearcats' possession on their own 33-yard stripe.

COLORADO CITY TEAMS TAKE 2 FROM LOCALS

Football games were lost by the Ballinger B and junior teams to Colorado City teams of the same classification Friday night in the first contests of the season to be played here.

The visiting juniors whipped the Ballinger juniors by the score of 12 to 0. Two punts were returned for touchdowns which spelled defeat for the Bearkittens.

In the B team game which followed, the Colorado Citizens rolled up 18 points to the Ballingerites' 13.

About 1,500 people witnessed the double-header, which was sponsored by the Ballinger Jaycees to clear a small deficit on the electric scoreboard. The board was hooked up for these games and many compliments were given by fans.

Coaches Choose Traveling Squad For '52 Bearcats

Coaches Douglas Cox and Frank Barnett last week cut the Bearcat first string squad to 22, issued sweaters and got ready for the beginning of the season.

The men on the traveling squad, numbers, positions and weights are as follows:

- Weldon Brevard, back, No. 11, 145 pounds
- Bob Ransbarger, back, No. 20, 138 pounds
- Jerry Baker, end, No. 21, 132 pounds
- William Morris, end, No. 22, 170 pounds
- Maurice Carder, back, No. 25, 128 pounds
- Buddy Clark, back, No. 27, 143 pounds
- Jerry Bell, back, No. 30, 102 pounds
- Mike Egan, back, No. 31, 147 pounds
- Bobby Bird, end, No. 34, 175 pounds
- W. A. Roberts, back, No. 39, 183 pounds
- Billy Maedgen, end, No. 44, 139 pounds
- Bill Ueckert, back, No. 47, 146 pounds
- J. F. Lee, center, No. 48, 140 pounds
- Gene Williams, center, No. 55, 175 pounds
- Spike Dykes, guard, No. 64, 163 pounds
- Bobby Winans, guard, No. 65, 148 pounds
- Donald Winchester, guard, No. 66, 143 pounds
- Henry Stokes, guard, No. 67, 157 pounds
- Tommy Parker, tackle, No. 71, 165 pounds
- William Long, tackle, No. 72, 240 pounds
- Gary Ferguson, tackle, No. 73, 208 pounds
- William Marek, tackle, No. 75, 189 pounds

Managers this year are Glen Ferguson, Jimmy Turner and Jerry Turner.

JANABETH CONNER INJURED IN FALL

Janabeth Conner, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Conner, was injured Saturday night when she fell from a seat in Bearcat Stadium about 15 feet, landing in a wooden box under the grandstand. Two breaks in her right leg, a severe scalp wound and numerous bruises were sustained.

She was taken to the Ballinger Clinic-Hospital, where the bones were set, and her condition Sunday was said not serious.

Hogs have been known to kill and eat rattlesnakes.

PMA Committees, Officers Elected For Ensuing Year

Elections have been held for naming the county PMA committee and the four community groups. The county office completed tabulations this week and the following results are announced:

County Committee
Meade W. McShan, chairman
John G. Onken, vice-chairman

Earl L. Black, regular member
Neuhard M. Stoecker, first alternate
Kirby B. Robinson, second alternate
Winton R. Gray, Jr., secretary-treasurer

Community A
Hugo A. Braden, chairman
Emil J. Urban, vice-chairman
Edward J. Glass, regular member

Walter H. Werner, first alternate
George A. Jansa, second alternate

Community B
Claude R. Simmons, chairman
Kirby L. McShan, vice-chairman

Marion Hays, regular member
J. W. Little, first alternate
Wesley Wood, second alternate

Community C
Roy L. Roper, chairman
Audra L. Mitchell, vice-chairman

Elmer F. Bryan, regular member
Merle R. Proctor, first alternate
W. H. Konegay, second alternate

Community D
Hallie F. Mills, chairman
Bryant Bishop, vice-chairman
John J. Swatchesue, regular member

Roy Davis, first alternate
Ralph B. Osborne, second alternate

OLDFATHER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Oldfather home demonstration club met in the community hall Tuesday, Mrs. Ben J. Halfmann presiding.

The meeting was opened with a prayer for the boys in service and roll was answered with 16 members giving their favorite cleaning short out. Mrs. Ferd Rohmfeld gave the council report.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Mrs. Ben J. Halfmann, president
Miss Mary Rita Hoelscher, vice-president

Miss Mildred Hoelscher, secretary-treasurer
Miss Lucille Halfmann, council delegate
Mrs. H. E. Halfmann, alternate delegate.

The home improvement demonstrator is Mrs. B. J. Halfmann and the food demonstrators are Mrs. Theo Halfmann and Mrs. Ralph Gerngross. Miss Lorene Halfmann is a new member.

Mrs. Charles Dankworth, of the Bethel club, gave a report on the state convention, held at Kingsville.

Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on des-

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sert rolls with strawberry cream filling. These were served as refreshments by Mrs. Paul Halfmann and Miss Lucille Halfmann to the members and visitors.

Card of Thanks

For the many expressions of sympathy and kindness extended us by our many friends during the illness and at the death of our little son, Keith, we are deeply grateful, and especially for the lovely memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society.

May God bless each of you.
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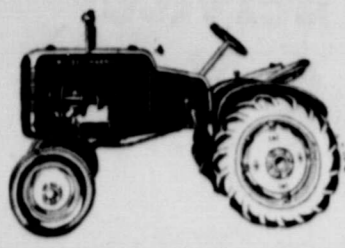
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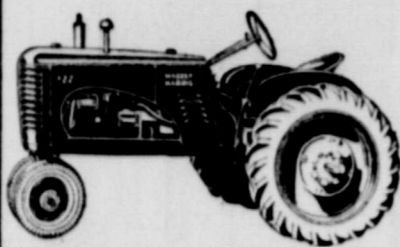
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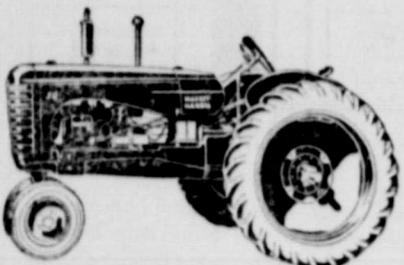
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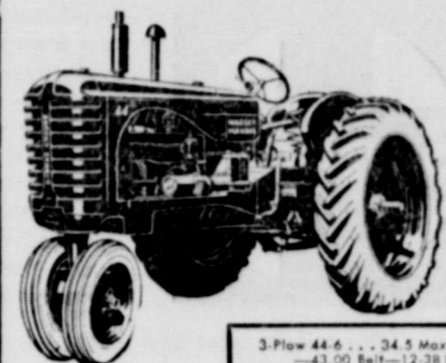
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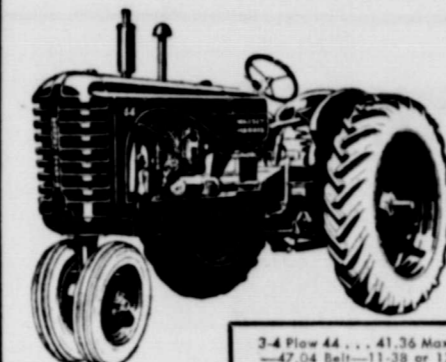
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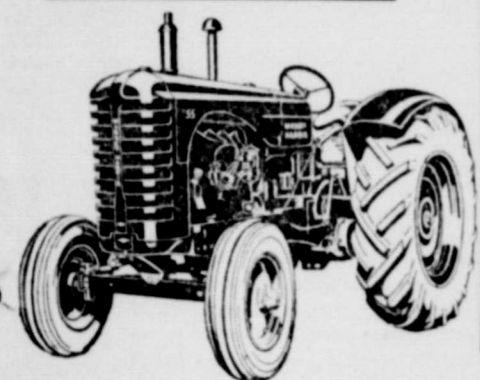
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3-4 Flow 44 . . . 41.36 Max. Drawbar H.P.—47.04 Belt—11.38 or 12.38 Rear Tires



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Presbyterian Women's Council Meets in Allen Home

Mrs. Rufus Allen, Mrs. A. W. Sledge and Miss Eva Lilly were hostesses to members of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., Monday morning, entertaining in the Allen home on Tenth Street.

Mrs. J. D. Coulter was leader

Puerto Rico." Mrs. Alvin O. Rue was at the piano for hymn accompaniments, and also gave the prayer for missions after Mrs. Pat Wood read the names in the Yearbook of Prayer.

Miss Maggie Lilly directed the business period, at which Mrs. Erwin and Mrs. Allen were named delegates to attend the Presbyterial, which convenes at Santa Anna today.

The dining table was centered with an arrangement of marigolds where Mrs. Altus Stokes assisted the hostesses in serving banana bread with coffee and mint.

Others besides those previously mentioned were Mrs. N. D. Lee, Mrs. F. C. Miller, Mrs. H. T. Russell and Mrs. Dora Spreen.

Stubblefield Evening Circle Meets at Church

Mrs. Lloyd Downing conducted the business for the regular meeting of the Mary Stubblefield Evening Circle of the First Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., held in the church parlors Monday evening, for which Mrs. Altus Stokes was hostess.

Mrs. Bill B. Stultz gave the devotional on "Spiritual Doors." Mrs. L. C. Parker-Brown who has been conference branch president of the African Methodist Episcopal Woman's Missionary Society of N. W. T. C. the past 29 years, was the guest speaker, talking on "The Paramount Needs of Building a Lasting Peace."

At the social hour, Mrs. Altus Stokes was assisted by her daughters, Fannie and Nancy Stokes, in serving a sandwich plate with coffee in rooms decorated with marigolds.

Others present were: Rev. and Mrs. Alvin O. Rue, Mrs. Sherman Hendricks, Mrs. Pierson Corder, Mrs. Jack Ashton, Mrs. Mart Gorman, Mrs. L. F. Wilson, and Mrs. Rufus Allen.

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Home Demonstration Council Submitted Reports from Clubs

The Runnels county home demonstration council held its regular meeting in the office of Miss Ollie Chenoweth, county home demonstration agent, Friday, Mrs. Calton Smith, vice-chairman, presided at the meeting which was attended by twenty-four members.

Mrs. Homer Tubbs, yearbook chairman, reported on a meeting held on September 5, when the 1953 yearbook was planned. Programs on food and home improvement will be given by Miss Chenoweth and programs on clothing, handcrafts and one on a foreign nation will be given by club members.

Mrs. Smith reported the finance committee planned for each club to help support the council by making money in any way chosen and to contribute part of this to the council.

Deputy Supervisor Visits Local Rebecca Lodge

Mrs. Katherine Hinds, of Baird, Deputy Supervisor of District 13, made her official visit to Rebecca Lodge No. 48, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Alynne McCorstin, Noble Grand, presided for the regular meeting at which she presented Mrs. Hinds, who spoke to the local membership.

At the social hour, cake squares decorated with pink and green icing, colors of the lodge, were served with punch to sixteen members.

Other visitors from Baird were Mmes. Suzie Smith, Hazel Johnson, Alice Crutchfield, Mary Kreber, and Ellen McGower.

Mrs. Guynes Presented Plaque

Mrs. J. W. Guynes, of Ballinger, was recently awarded a bronze plaque in a quiz program conducted by the Current Book Club. The program was under the direction of Time magazine and included questions on international and national affairs.

Miss Batchelor to Marry Sgt. Richard Chase

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Batchelor, 1106 Fifth, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Catherine, to S-Sgt. Richard A. Chase, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Harvey Chase, of Meadville, Pennsylvania.

The wedding will take place October 4 at the home of the bride's parents.

The couple will make home at San Antonio, where S-Sgt. Chase is stationed at Randolph AFB, Field.

Mrs. B. M. Batts, three-E committee chairman, reported the clubs are to have exhibits rather than tours this year. The exhibits are scheduled on October 25, the place to be decided later.

The three delegates who attended the state meeting of the T. H. D. A. at Kingsville, gave highlights of the convention and will report to each club.

Mrs. W. J. Curtis, marketing chairman, stated materials for purses and buckle forms had been ordered by each club.

Mrs. J. H. Shelburne, 4-H chairman, said 4-H club organization work is being done following the summer holidays.

The Bethel club held a community party in the Ballinger city park for its August get-together.

Drasco club women, families and friends gathered at the Buffalo Gap state park for a swimming party followed by a picnic.

Club girls and two leaders gave an interesting report on the state 4-H round-up at the last meeting of the East Side club.

Purse making and the election of 1953 officers was the program and business conducted at the last meeting of the Friendly Neighbors club.

Mrs. B. M. Batts, of the South Ballinger club, gave a demonstration on making aluminum trays at a meeting of the Olfen club.

Club girls and two leaders were in charge of the program and recreation at a meeting of the South Ballinger club.

Ellen Shelburne, delegate for this county at the state 4-H round-up, gave a report on the meeting to members and families of the South Ballinger club when they held a social and picnic at city park last month.

Mrs. B. M. Batts, T. H. D. A. chairman for the county, suggested that each club subscribe for the Messenger, T. H. D. A. paper.

New books for the council library are being ordered.

Mrs. W. J. Curtis, Mrs. Neuman Smith and Mrs. Robert Fowler were elected to serve as nominating committee for 1953 council officers.

On September 30 at 1:00 p. m. Mrs. A. B. Spill, of the Winters club, will give a demonstration to two leaders from each club in the county at the Winters clubhouse.

Miss Chenoweth will give a demonstration on dessert rolls to all clubs during September.

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The council will hold its next regular meeting on October 10.

BALLINGER F. F. A. STARTS ACTIVITIES FOR NEW TERM

The Ballinger chapter of the Future Farmers of America has started a lamb program and at the present time there are 20 animals on feed. Members will exhibit 9 calves, 20 lambs and 11 hogs at the state fair, Dallas. Those on feeding projects state their animals will have a good finish by that time.

Most of the members have feeding projects but a few are still looking for lambs. Some of these animals will not be finished before the spring show.

Bobby Patton has been elected to represent the chapter on the student council.

Chapter members opened the concession stand at Bearcat Field last Saturday night and will operate it at all games played there the remainder of the football season.

Good Roping Seen At Rodeo Arena

Good roping events were witnessed at the Ballinger rodeo arena Tuesday night. Following are the contests and times made by participants in the



BEAUTY AND TALENT . . . Marcia Crane, who is Miss Florida of 1952, is a talented water ski expert. She did not show her talent on the skis at Atlantic City.



FRIENDLY GESTURE . . . IN Helsinki, Finland, Jim Fuchs, American who holds the world's record for the shotput with a toss of 58' 10 1/2", explains his specialty to Chal Myungsook, only female on Korean Olympic team.

'Pot Luck' Supper Program for Cubs, Scouts Arranged

The program has been completed for the "pot luck" supper to be held at city park in Ballinger on September 30 for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, leaders and parents of the Colorado Valley district.

The affair is expected to attract 400 to 500 people. Each den and troop is assisting in the work and the planning for food to serve its unit.

The program is as follows: E. C. Grindstaff, master of ceremonies; Harold Muffley, Miles, invocation; Supper; Entertainment, Buddy Wyman, troop 30; Awards, Ewell Jones, chairman; Cub Scouts, L. R. Rieger; Boy Scouts; Tenderfoot, Don Atkins; Second Class, George Newby; First Class, Frank Pearce; Merit Badges, Judge O. L. Parish; Star, Dr. C. F. Bailey; Life, Buddy Wyman; Roll call and inspection, C. E. Maedgen; Closing, bugle taps, troop 42.

The committee on arrangements is composed of Jack Nixon, Jr., Dick Ayers, Douglas Cox, Tom Adams, Bob Bartlett, Jay Garrett.

4-H CLUB BOYS WIN DISTRICT CONTESTS

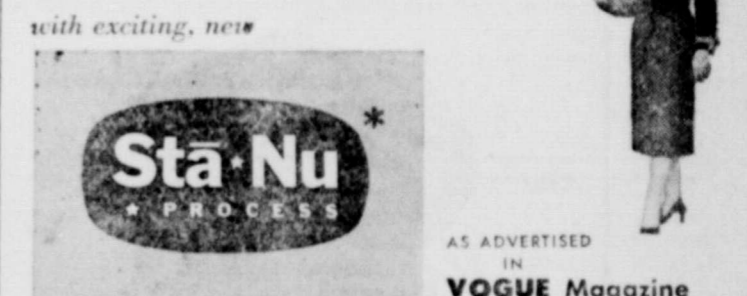
Two Runnels county 4-H club boys have won in district contests and their record books have been sent to College Station, where they will be judged in the state contests.

O. D. Bradford, of the Cochran club, took first place in the Santa Fe Railway contests in district competition at San Angelo.

Alpheus Hill, of the Wingate club, was second place winner in the home electric contest for this district and his records are eligible for state inspection. Papers and records will be judged and state winners decided by October 1.

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WEST TEXAS NOTES

Rains that fell in Rannels county last week broke what many declare was the most severe drouth in the history of this region. The moisture came just right, no damage resulting from flood or wind. A long drizzle was broken every thirty minutes or so by downpours which permitted most of the water to soak into the thirsty ground yet was enough to wash out streams and provide stock supplies in places where water had been hauled for weeks. Stockmen and farmers are naturally delighted and within a few days grain drills will be operated overtime to get oats and wheat seed into the ground for fall and winter grazing. Ranchmen expect the range to make grass before frost and some crops are expected to sucker out and provide grazing. Ballinger's water supply was replenished, the Valley Creek lake almost being filled and Elm Creek roaring over the spillway. A million dollar rain would be putting it mildly—there is no way of estimating how much the precipitation has been worth to this immediate section.

Plans are being made for one of the most interesting elections in the history of the country. Copy will be received soon and county officials will have the ballots printed before absentee voting time in October. Indications are that some tickets will be split, making the county job more difficult. The ticket will have six columns and be fairly well filled for Democratic and Republican parties. In addition to the candidates and presidential electors, two amendments will be submitted to the voters of Texas.

Ballinger people are interested in securing new road construction which would give access to the Fort Chadbourne and Cree-Sykes oil fields. Gasoline and recycling plants will be erected in both of these fields and many workers will live here and travel to and from daily. A road north from Norton has been on the agenda for a number of years. Another favored project would provide a road north from the Crews farm-to-market road which would pass near the site of the

The \$300,000 federally constructed floodway at Brady held and the merchants were spared damage by the raging waters of Brady Creek last week. Business was suspended more than 24 hours and all available manpower struggled to make business houses safe. Sandbags were piled on the low places of the levee, stores were boarded up front and back and help was called from other towns to fight the rising torrent after ten inches of rain fell on the creek's upper watershed.

William Menzies, of Menard, celebrated his 97th birthday anniversary recently when members of his family gathered for the party. He moved to Menardville in 1887, purchasing land and stocking it with cattle and sheep. He continued to acquire land until 1924, when he made his last purchase. He quit active ranching in 1944 and since then has been in semi-retirement. Until the past few years he was an ardent football fan and saw all games at Menard.

Mitchell county farmers and ranchmen have placed orders for 520 tons of government hay and are awaiting the 26-carload shipment. Requests for feed came from 118 people who have foundation livestock and are eligible for the cheaper hay. Orders ranged from half a ton to 40 tons and the

county's requirements were relayed to College Station. Date of the first delivery is not known but orders have already been sent to the main buying areas of the country.

The Paint Rock Parent-Teacher Association held its first meeting of the year on September 17 in the high school auditorium. New officers were presented, yearbooks were distributed and teachers and patrons introduced. The general theme for the meeting was cooperation of patrons with the school in all its undertakings. The Paint Rock school was opened with good attendance and all departments are functioning.

The Old Trail Blazers' Association met at Rising Star the first of the week, about 200 attending the program and business session. This organization, formed in 1931, has met each year since with growing membership and interest. The 1952 meeting was held in the American Legion clubhouse. A barbecue dinner was served at noon and this was followed by a report by the historical committee and talks by members.

Twelve registered Herefords from the DB Ranch, near Comanche, were shipped last week on a sixty-day tour of the leading livestock shows of the United States. The first stop was at the Tri-State Fair, Amarillo, and from there they go to Omaha, Nebraska; and to Kansas City, for showing in the American Royal. They also will be exhibited at Tulsa, Oklahoma, and in a number of smaller shows. The cattle are owned by Dudley Brothers.

Edward Cumbie is in charge of arrangements for the second annual home-coming of Bronte school students. At the first program, a year ago, more than 300 were present. This year additional names are on the list and have been sent special invitations. The affair will start with a registration tea from 2 to 5 p. m. A banquet is to be served at 6 p. m. and the former students will attend the Bronte-Trent football game in a body.

The Abilene Lions Club will give \$1,000 to the crippled children's camp at Kerrville. The donation was voted after a report was given on the progress of the camp by I. R. Hutchinson, district governor, of Hamlin. At the same time the

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Abilene club was asked to send crippled children there, and applications are being taken for those 6 to 16 years old.

The Coleman city council is dealing with two important matters last week which have about equal support and opposition among the citizens. The first concerned installation of parking meters on a six months trial. This issue has been hot at Coleman for several months, groups working for the meters and some business men and others fighting the proposal. The second issue came up when the Coleman Gas Co. asked the council for a rate increase.

The Winters high school will have a 90-piece marching organization on the field at football games this fall. This is the largest band in the his-

tory of the school. During the summer a number of new uniforms were ordered to take care of extra members coming into the band. J. C. Grantham, director, has been building the organization to its present strength the past four years.

Central Texas Turkey Growers' Association members ate barbecued turkey and discussed business at Eastland Wednesday of last week. Plans were made for a membership drive, to commence at once. The association is made up of growers in Eastland, Hamilton, Erath, Comanche, Palo Pinto, Shackelford, Brown, Stephens and Coleman counties. It was disclosed that the 170 members have raised approximately 500,000 turkeys, which will be marketed within the next 60

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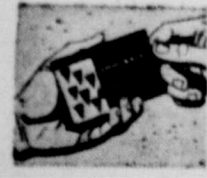
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Federated Clubs Open '52 Season

Members of the Old West will meet at the E. C. Grindstaff home this (Thursday) evening at the Fannie Stephens

Study Club's "Chuck Wagon" supper. "Operation Re-assembly" will be the primary event, when officers who were branded and corralled for service last spring will "hit the trail this fall." The new "hands" are: pres-

ident, Mrs. Malcolm Morgan; Vice-president, Mrs. Jack Scales; recording secretary, Mrs. Mack Bowers; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Hilton Morgan; treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Elkins; parliamentarian, Mrs. Joe For-

Emery; critic, Mrs. Lyman Yoder. Mrs. Morgan will give the welcome to members and their husbands. Yearbooks which were compiled by the program committee, Mrs. Lloyd Downing, Mrs. Preston Fitzhugh and

Mrs. Lyman Yoder, will be distributed. "Neighbors of One World" is the year's subject of study for the club. India, Russia, China, Egypt and Germany will be studied, and at the conclusion a foreign dinner will be served

when husbands of members will be included. A National Art program will be presented in November, also a parliamentary procedure discussion will be given by Miss Eudora Hawkins, of Abilene. Other programs will include a Christmas

social, a silver tea in February, and a pre-Easter style show at which all the merchants of the city have been asked to furnish garments and models. And the concluding program will be an installation tea along with the delegates' report on the Sixth

District convention to be held in the spring. The club has 28 active members and 5 associate members. The first study program will be held the first Wednesday in October.

The Ballinger Music Club, organized in February, 1935, includes 10 current members who are charter members. They have felt that holding membership in the club was supremely worthy of unfailing loyalty because they gained much from the study of musical history.

The club has scheduled its first meeting of the season for 8:00 o'clock Tuesday evening, October 7, in the home of the president, Mrs. Charles Hambrick, on Broadway. The program theme is "Music We All Love."

The monthly programs are varied. Guests will be included at the November meeting to be held in the home of Mrs. Elmer Shepperd when the club will present a familiar duet in the music world of Abilene, husband and wife team of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Tiffany, baritone and soprano. They will offer a program of light and modern classical numbers.

Other programs will include the study of John Sebastian Bach, Franz Liszt, Igor Stravinsky, and a discussion on public school music. A book review, "The Well Tempered Listener," by Deems Taylor, will be given next March. The club's desire to further the musical interests of Ballinger includes presenting a guest artist program at the concluding meeting of the season in May.

Other officers to serve with Mrs. Hambrick are: vice-president, Mrs. J. O. Satterwhite; secretary, Mrs. Sim Cottelle; treasurer, Mrs. J. D. Reneau; parliamentarian, Miss Lola Eubank; and historian, Mrs. Max McCrary.

The programs for the ensuing year were arranged by Mrs. James Williamson, Mrs. Arthur Giesecke and Mrs. Joel Bates.

The club's personnel includes 25 active members, 12 associate members and three junior members.

Ballinger's oldest study club, the Shakespeare Club, will open its season on October 2, with a re-assembly tea in the home of Mrs. James A. Wear on Tenth Street. The president, Mrs. Alex Saunders, and other new officers will take over their duties for the ensuing year.

Other new officers are: Mrs. Powell Wear, vice-president; Mrs. J. B. Dankworth, recording secretary; Mrs. O. L. Parish, Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs. A. B. Stobaugh, treasurer; Mrs. Dorsey Read, historian; Mrs. Paul Petty, parliamentarian; Mrs. Edgar Boelsche, critic; Mrs. Joel Bates, federation counselor.

"Let's Defend Ourselves Through Knowledge" is the year's theme. Programs offered on this subject include "The American Home," "National Art Program," which will be presented by Mrs. H. H. Thomson, of Corpus Christi, a former resident and art teacher of Ballinger; several book review presentations; a Federation Day program, at which Mrs. Dorsey Read will give the history of the club since its federation in 1952; and a program on "Early Retirement and Use of Leisure" will be presented by Miss Will-dell Schawe, of Wimberly, a former resident of Ballinger, and the author of several text books. A program on poetry is to be given in early spring.

The club will also be given a review of Shakespeare's play, "As You Like It," with Mrs. Lela McAdams as leader. She will be assisted by other club members. A symposium on "Child Personality Development" will be offered at one of the meetings, and "Modern Trends in Public School Music" will be discussed at another meeting. Socials will be held by the club at Christmas and on Texas Day, and there will be an installation breakfast at the conclusion of the season.

The program committee formulating this interesting year's study was composed of Mrs. Paul Petty, Mrs. Arthur Giesecke and Mrs. Joel Bates. They urge members to attend the reassembly tea at which Mrs. J. F. Boren, of Abilene, president of the Sixth District, will be the honored guest and speaker.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Ballinger, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on
September 5, 1952, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 3211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,489,511.41
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,722,500.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	364,360.00
5. Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	6,000.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$470.15 overdrafts)	858,674.22
7. Bank premises owned \$20,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$4,000.00	24,000.00
12. Total Assets	\$5,465,045.63

LIABILITIES

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$5,054,668.38
15. Deposits of United States Government, (including postal savings)	14,804.46
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	41,570.40
17. Deposits of banks	43,734.17
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	10,400.00
19. Total Deposits	\$5,165,177.41
24. Total Liabilities	\$5,165,177.41

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

25. Capital Stock:	
(a) Common stock, total par	\$100,000.00
26. Surplus	100,000.00
27. Undivided profits	33,644.08
28. Reserves for contingencies, etc.	66,224.14
(preferred stock)	66,224.14
29. Total Capital Accounts	299,868.22
30. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$5,465,045.63

MEMORANDA

31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 130,000.00

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss:
I, Joe Forman, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOE FORMAN, Cashier

(SEAL) Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of September, 1952.

Edna Mae Lowry, Notary Public

Correct—Attest: F. M. Pearce, Drury P. Hathaway, R. G. Erwin, Directors.

RECAPITULATION

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 846,658.75
Banking House	20,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	4,000.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	6,000.00
RESERVE:	
U. S. Treasury Obligations	\$2,722,500.00
Bonds and Warrants	364,360.00
Bills of Exchange	12,015.47
CASH and EXCHANGE	1,489,511.41
	\$5,465,045.63

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	33,644.08
Reserve for Contingencies, etc.	66,224.14
DEPOSITS	5,165,177.41
	\$5,465,045.63

the morning when 22 purses of velvet, faille and corduroy were made.

Following the covered dish luncheon at noon, the business period was conducted by Mrs. Calton Smith. Members answered roll call by giving "My Short Cuts in House Cleaning." The council report

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was given by Mrs. Roy Holstead.

Secret pal names were revealed and new names drawn. The club presented a new electric wall clock to Mrs. J. Wesley Jones for her new home.

The following new officers were elected: president, Mrs. J. Lester Ohlhausen; vice-president, Mrs. Virgil McShan; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Fred Moncrief; reporter, Mrs. Archie Wallace; council delegate, Mrs. Dick Holstead; alternate delegate, Mrs. J. Wesley Jones; food demonstrator, Mrs. Calton Smith; home improvement demonstrator, Mrs. Dick Holstead.

RAMPY ATTENDS W.T.C.C. HIGHWAY CONFERENCE

County Judge H. W. Rampy was in Abilene this past weekend to attend a meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce highway committee. A general discussion of needs was held and reports were given on when certain work would be contracted.

Judge Rampy said he thought three farm-to-market road contracts would be let in this county before the end of the year.

One will be from the highway west of Winters to Pumphrey, a distance of about 6 miles. The second project expected this year will be the Norton-to-Wilmeth road, and the third will be 8 miles south from the Ballinger-San Angelo highway to Olfen.

BRYAN ELECTRIC WINS NO. 1 IN PLAY-OFF FROM MILES

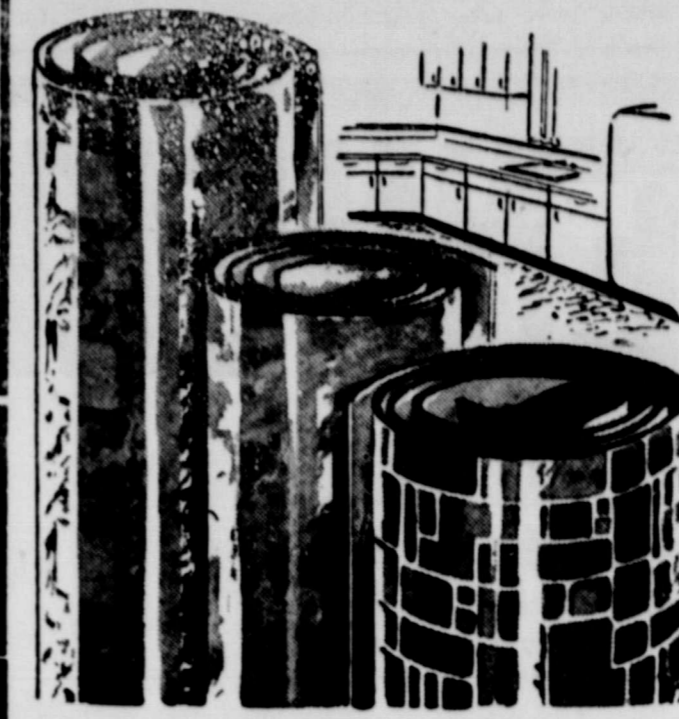
The Bryan Electric Co. team defeated the Miles Giants in the first game of the play-off series for the championship of the Concho Valley League Sunday afternoon at Cat Park, Ballinger. It took ten innings to decide the winner but a two-run rally in the first half of the tenth was too much for the Giants to overcome.

The Giants led going into the seventh stanza by the count of 5 to 1, but a seven run outburst by the Bryan Electric boys put the latter in front. The Giants came back to tie the score at 8-8 and this held until the tenth.

The second game of the play-off will be played at Veribest next Sunday afternoon.

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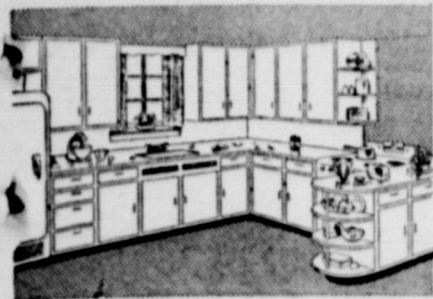
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**First Run Gene Autry Picture Starts
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Columbia's "Night Stage to Galveston," starring Gene Autry, is the No. 1 feature at the Horseshoe Drive-In Theatre today and tomorrow. Importantly cast in supporting roles of this first-run film are Champion, world's wonder horse; Pat Buttram, Virginia Huston, Thurston Hall and Judy Nugent.

In his newest outdoor action drama, Autry plays a killer ringer who smashes a former ring trying to take over Texas. The other feature on the same program, Edgar Rice Burroughs' "Tarzan's Savage Fury," stars Lex Barker, Dorothy Hart, Patric Knowles and Charles Korvin, and introduces Tommy Carlton. The RKO Radio film revolves around a peril-packed journey across Africa in search of a hoard of uncut diamonds.

20th Century-Fox's "Deadline U. S. A." Humphrey Bogart's starrer, will be shown at the Horseshoe Saturday only, September 20, in conjunction with "Rawhide," a western. Ethel Barrymore and Kim Hunter co-star with Bogart in

"Deadline—U. S. A.," exciting newspaper story which exposes underworld corruption. Tyrone Power and Susan Hayward co-star in "Rawhide," 20th Century-Fox outdoor suspense drama. The cast includes Dean Jagger, Hugh Marlowe, Edgar Buchanan and Jack Elam.

"The Lady Says No," rollicking romantic comedy coming to the Horseshoe Sunday and Monday, September 21, 22, at a first-run attraction teams beautiful blonde Joan Caulfield and handsome David Niven for the first time. The United Artists release features James Robertson Justice and Frances Baxter.

On the same program is "Oh! Susanna," starring Rod Cameron. Skillfully integrating the romance and majestic splendor of Mexico with the tempestuous excitement of the arena, "Bullfighter and the Lady," at the Horseshoe Tuesday and Wednesday, September 23, 24, presents film audiences one of the most unusual and thrill-

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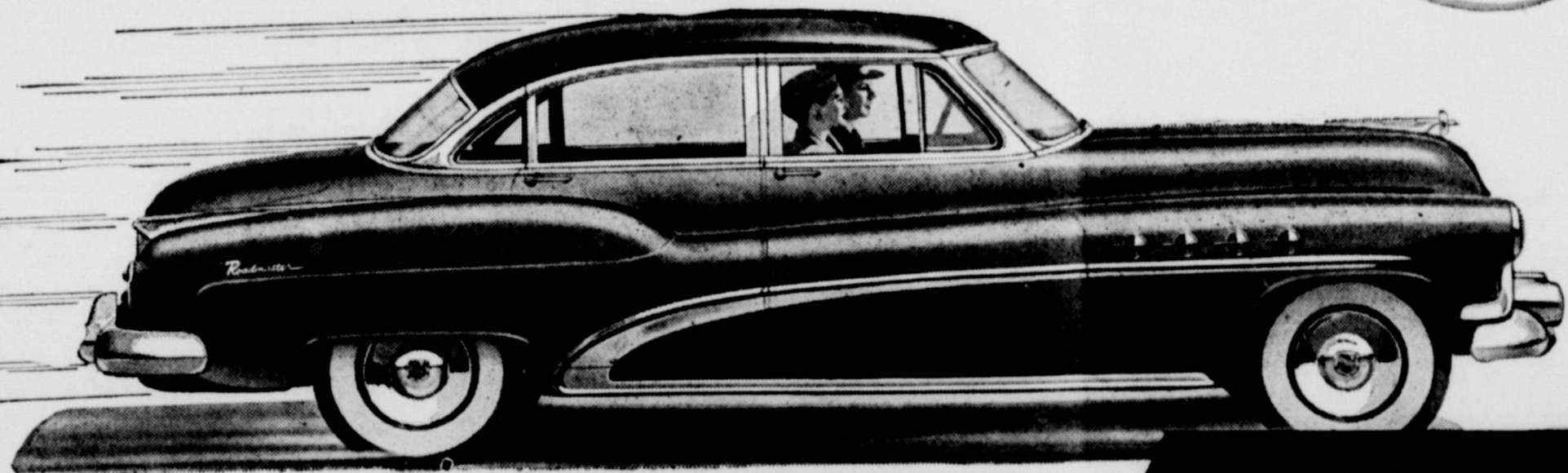
were discussed for a bake sale. A demonstration on purse making was given by Mrs. Roy Tyree. The demonstration will be continued at the next meeting, to be held on September 26 in the home of Mrs. Johnny Wessels. Cake was served with coffee.

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